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### Territorial News.

From the Prescott *Miner* of the 3d ult., we clip the following:

**THE MILITARY.**—General Crook's little army has now commenced the work before it in good earnest. The General, accompanied by his aids, Lieutenants Ross and Bourke, and a small escort of cavalrymen, started on horseback, Monday last, for camps Verde, Apache and other posts, with the view, we believe, of organizing and sending out scouts.

Captains Mason, Adams and Montgomery, with their companies and some friendly Piute Indians are scouting for Apaches in the mountains north of Prescott.

A pack-train, for the cavalry company at Camp Date Creek, was recently sent down, and said company is now in the field.

Indeed, every cavalrymen that can be spared from every post in the Territory, will be given a chance to share in the glory of subduing bands of Indians that have defied Spain, Mexico and the United States, and we do most sincerely hope that no more obstacles will be placed before Gen. Crook and his forces, while they are out, fighting and suffering for the good cause.

That the General means to conquer; that he intends to inspire his troops with a conquering spirit, will be readily seen by the following General Order, issued from Headquarters, on the 18th inst:

With a view to a proper recognition, commanding officers of detachments operating against hostile Indians will take special care to report the conduct of enlisted men, who, by acts of individual daring in action, or other special and conspicuous service, are entitled to commendation and reward.

No recommendation will be made without careful investigation into all the facts, which will be fully set forth in the report.

By command of Brevet Maj. General Crook:

A. H. NICKERSON,  
Captain Twenty-third Infantry,  
A. D. C., and A. A. A., General.

**A FIRE.**—Between 10 and 11 o'clock, on the night of Wednesday last, a fire was observed on the ranch of the widow Koch, near Prescott, and, on going over there, Sheriff Beham and Deputy Sheriff L. B. St. James and other persons found the out-house in flames, and set to work to save what they could. The employees on the place were found fast asleep in the dwelling house. The grain was saved; a calf and hog were burned up.

Some people think that the fire

was started by some fiend, others, that it was accidental.

**DEATH OF ROBERT BELL.**—Robert Bell, a pioneer citizen of this county, departed this life, at Beaver Creek settlement, on the morning of Thursday, the 14th inst. The disease which carried him off is said to have been pneumonia.

He was a good citizen and true man.

**COURT MATTERS.**—The Grand Jury for Yavapai county, after finishing its work in less than three days, brought in a report of which the following is a synopsis:

Found four true bills; two for felony and two for misdemeanor. Ignored one bill. The books of the County Recorder and County Treasurer were examined and found correct. The jail was also examined and found all right.

They recommended that steps be taken towards making a safe place for the keeping of County Records.

From the Tucson *Citizen* of the 30th ult., we learn that at Camp Grant an Indian killed a Mexican cook near the butcher's (contractor's) quarters, on the 22d. It seems the Indian wanted to sit by the cook stove; that the cook objected and undertook to lead him away; that upon this the humble savage picked up an axe, and with it brained the cook. The murderer fled after the commission of the deed, and Lieut. Babcock, Fifth Cavalry, with some men and four Indian guides, started in pursuit of the murderer and his friends, who seem to stand by him. On the 26th the pursuit was still in progress.

Agent Jefferts is reported as trying to get three hundred more Indians on the Chiricahua Reservation with his highness Cachise, who so far has deported himself with distinguished propriety, according to all reports. We presume Cachise is resolved to never go on the war-path again, but there is something in the genial sun-shine of the Spring months which usually overcomes his good resolves, and he is not responsible for climatic operations. Then as an offset, the climate, grub, clothing, etc., induce him to leave the war-path for nearly half the year; but this time may the pacific influences prevail forever.

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